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A Christmas Greeting

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The celebration of the birth of our Saviour, the gladdest season of the year, is upon us. For all of us, after a year of successes and sorrows, surely the joys of Christmas will be great.

In the name of the trustees, faculty and staff of Saint Joseph's College, I wish all of you a most Joyous Christmas and a Happy New Year. The alumni and the parents of our students will be in our thoughts this holiday season. We know you will gather with us in spirit around the banquet table to celebrate with Him this blessed season.

Charles Banet, CAPS.
PRESIDENT



Homecoming Queen Marge Gregg of Chicago and her escort Jim Sullivan, also of Chicago.

1968 HOMECOMING HIGHLIGHTS





The picture above captures the anxiety of the crowd during the Homecoming game. Standing is Mary Margaret Hagedorn, a senior at Saint Joseph's.

Excitement. A hope and a belief that Valparaiso's three points won't be enough to win, that somehow we'll score a touchdown, that somehow the best effort of the season will be rewarded. But only frustration. The first-quarter field goal proves sufficient, the final score is 3-0.

It-was the first loss to Valparaiso in four years, the first Homecoming loss in four years. The team played its best game of the season against an archrival that eventually won the I.C.C. championship with a perfect conference record.

The parade, the game, the happy hour, the dinner by candlelight and the performance of the glee club, the Columbian players presentation, and the Homecoming dance made the 1968 Homecoming festivities a memorable and enjoyable event for the record number of alumni who attended. It was an opportunity to renew old friendships and to visit the campus where they were made.



Keith Snyder '56 receives the congratulations of Alumni Director Bob Lofft '66 for having been named the winner of the 1968 Alumni Service Award. Standing with them is Father Charles Banet, president of the College. The award was presented at half time. Snyder, a member of the Alumni Board of Directors, has directed several phone-a-thons enlisting alumni support for Saint Joseph's.



The Sweet Sixteen and Saint Joseph's Marching Band



Dr. John Egan directs a chorus of alumni and glee club members at the Homecoming banquet in Halleck Center. Previous members of the College's glee club, alumni from the years 1942 to 1967, were invited to join the glee club during their performance.



Members of Saint Joseph's Blue Key National Honor Fraternity sponsored the largest parade in Rensselaer's history. Four marching bands, 19 floats, celebrity cars, and antique cars traveled through Rensselaer's business district and out College Avenue to the Saint Joseph's campus.

Alumní Class Notes

STANLEY ARNOLD is Judge of the Superior Court in Lassen County, Susanville, California.

FATHER PHILIP J. ROSE has announced his retirement from the pastorate of Holy Assumption Catholic Church in West Allis, Wisconsin, after serving as its pastor for almost 12 years. Father said he was leaving solely for reasons of health.

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FATHER URBAN A. REICHLIN has recently been appointed paster of St. Vincent DePaul Church in Cleve-

THOMAS J. RICHERT has been appointed vice president (engineering and maintenance) of Eastern Airlines Operations Group. Tom's headquarters are in Miami. GEORGE L. SHEEHAN, an Air Force Reserve Major and staff officer of 930th Tactical Airlift Group at Bakalar Air Force Base, Columbus, Ind., has been called to active duty for 24 months. George will be reattached to the tactical air command.

LLOYD N. MONNIN is General Education Chairman of Clark County Technical Institute in Springfield, Ohio.

LeROY H. HUENFELD, Jr. has been named Chief Buyer of the Sandia Corporation in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

EUGENE F. HOFFMAN, manager of the Louisville sales division, U.S. Industrial Chemicals Co., a division of National Distillers and Chemical Corp., has recently been National Distillers and Chemical Corp., has recently been named southern regional sales manager. Gene will be responsible for the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Louisville, Atlanta, Memphis and New Orleans sales divisions, plus two sub-offices. DAVID E. CLEMENS is vice president of CAN-TEX Industries, Division of HARSCO Corporation in Mineral Wells, Texas. Dave also was a delegate to the Democrat National Convention in Chicago last

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FRANCIS W. PRICE, M.D., has been promoted to manager of the industrial medicine department at Eli Lilly and Company's Kentucky Avenue plant in Indianapolis. Dr. Price had served as a staff physician since joining the pharmaceutical firm in 1967. Before joining Eli Lilly, Dr. Price was in private practice in Indianapolis.



GENE HOFFMAN '44



DR. PRICE '46



CHAS. HANLEY '50



MIKE ELLIOTT '62

GEORGE ELLSPERMAN has been promoted to the head office of Whirlpool Corp. (St. Joseph, Michigan) as chief purchasing agent for the company's washer division.

ROY F. BLAKE is now an elementary school principal in Santa Fe, New Mexico, after having served as superintendent of American Schools overseas in Pakistan and Athens, Greece, the past four years. The Rev. LOUIS GELHAUS, has joined the faculty of Saint Joseph's College Calumet Campus as an instructor in theology. Father Gelhaus is also the chaplain of the Gary area Knights of Columbus and St. Mary Mercy Hospital in Gary

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CHARLES S. HANLEY, Jr., has been appointed marketing manager for the Plate and Welding Division of General American Transportation Corporation in Chicago. Since 1966 he has been regional production manager of the division's plant at Birmingham, Alabama. He and his wife, Mary, have two daughters and a son.

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CHARLES J. KORBA, Jr. was recently promoted to the position of Personnel Manager for Public Service of Indiana and has taken up residence at 3531 Lincoln Road in Indianapolis.

EDGAR M. COBETT, Sr., a systems consultant and research associate with Parco Scientific, Inc., has received his master of science degree in secondary education from

JAMES COTTER THARIN has assumed the chairman-ship of the geology department at Hope College in Hol-land, Michigan. Major MICHAEL A. NASSR, a pilot in the U.S. Air Force, is flying aeromedical evacuation flights in Viet Nam and other countries of Southeast

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FATHER BERNARD BOFF is working as a Catholic staff member for the Toledo (Ohio) Metropolitan Missions, Department of the Protestant Council of Churches, where he devotes much of his time to community prob-

LAWRENCE J. SCHMIT is a physician specializing in obstetrics and gynecology in Elgin Ill. JAMES F. ZID, C.P.A., has recently been admitted to partnership with ERNST & ERNST, in Fort Wayne, Ind, Major TIIOMAS J. EVERLING has returned from Viet Nam and is now flying the C-I41. Tom is an Aircraft Commander at Dover Air Force Base, Delaware. Rev. EDWARD H. RILEY left in September for a new teaching assignment in the regional seminary of SS. Peter and Paul in Ibadan, Western State, Nigeria. Father Riley will conduct studies in philosophy for Nigerian candidates for the priesthood. His last post was teaching at Xavier College in New Orleans.

In Memoriam

EDWARD F. HOFFMAN '01, D.D.S. Toledo, Ohio

LOUIS F. HOFFMAN '06, D.D.S. Toledo, Ohio

ANTHONY C. ELSAESSER '10 Cincinnati, Ohio

MSGR. ALOYSIUS J. COPENOLLE 'II Earl Park, Indiana

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ANTHONY BASSO '25 Traverse City, Michigan

REV. JOSEPH I. HARTMAN '28 Bowling Green, Ohio

THADDEUS A. WLEKLINSKI '42 Hammond, Indiana

JOHN DINGEMAN has his own advertising agency in Traverse City, Michigan. DONALD L. PRULLAGE, Ph.D., has been named an assistant professor of mathematics at Lehigh University, Bethlehem, Pa. Dr. Prullage, a specialist in the field of Summability Theory, was formerly assistant professor of mathematics at the University of Kentucky.

EDWIN K. DeWALD, a partner in the accounting firm of David Culp & Co. (Huntington, Ind.), participated in a practitioners' forum of the Indiana Association of Certified Public Accountants, Inc., in Indianapolis, in September. ROBERT M. GASIOR, M.D., previously affiliated with Mayo Clinic is now a Fellow in Cardiovascular Surgey at Baylor University in Houston, PATRICK A. U. OPARA has been appointed to the faculty of Goucher College in Towson, Maryland, as a visiting lecturer in sociology. turer in sociology.

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GEORGE R. ESPOSITO is employed at the Department of Adoptions in Los Angeles County and is presently involved in a project to place special needs and mixed racial children in a option. George, his wife and 2 daughters live at 28906 Giadiolus, Saugus, California.

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Captain DAVID K. MANN has been graduated from the Univer quadron Officer School at Maxwell AFB, Ala, EUGENE P. TUNNEY was recently promoted to 2nd Vice President in the real estate loan division, commercial banking department of the Exchange National Bank in Chicago. RONALD KORON, accountant with Lybrand, Ross Bros & Montgomery in Ft. Wayne, was an instructor last summer in the elementary audit course (four week duration) at the L.R.B. & M. training school held at Drew University, Madison, New Jersey.

FRED DUNDERMAN is now a tax specialist with Lybrand, Ross Bros. & Montgomery in Ft. Wavne, Ind. Fred and his wife Margaret, live at 2827 Westbrook Drive in Ft. Wayne. AL WIIITLOW, former basketball star at Saint Joseph's, has resigned his post as assistant hasketball coach at Michigan City (Ind.) to take a teaching position in Pomona, Calif.

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MICHAEL MURPHY is teaching 9th grade physical education at Woburn High School (Mass.) and is also junior varsity coach and assistant varsity coach. JAMES VON BAMPUS is supervisor for professional recruitment at Tee-Pak, Inc., a full line manufacturer of regenerated cellulose casings for the meat and food industries. MICHAEL A. ELLIOTT has been appointed quality confacturers of a diverse line of products in the hospital and health fields around the world. Mike, his wife and three children reside in Mount Prospect, Ill.

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JAMES K. COUHIG has joined the College Book Division of Prentice-Hall as a field representative in the Missouri and Kansas areas. Jim lives at 4957 Virginia Avc., Kansas City, Mo. DENIS B. DRISCOLL, an electrical engineer with the Aeronautical Systems Division's Directorate of Flight Test, has received the Certificate of Merit for his contributors to the Couphin II. project. neer with the Aeronautical Systems Division's Directorate of Flight Test, has received the Certificate of Merit for his contributons to the Gunship II project. Denis was cited for his technical knowledge in determining all electrical requirements for Gunship II. ELMER LEE PARIS, a former valedictorian of Saint Joseph's, has been chosen "Outstanding Young Educator of 1968" by the Dyer (Ind.) Jaycees. He is presently chairman of the social studies department at Lake Central High School, Lowell, (Ind.) JEROME T. MESERVEY, M.D., is a captain in the U.S. Air Force. Previous to this he graduated from Loyola Medical School and did his internship at St. Francis Hospital in Evanston. Jerry, his wife, Jackie, and 1 year old son, John, are living at Apt. D-4 Brittany Court, Warner Robins, Georgia. EUGENE KETCHMARK recieved his master's degree in business from DePaul Univ. and is presently employed by the First Wisconsin Bank as a Systems Analyst. Gene and his wife, Margaret, are the parents of three children. GEORGE FOSS is the assistant administrator at St. Vincent's Hospital in Indianapolis. George, his wife, and two children live at 402 W.. 79th Street, Indianapolis, Captain LEONARD J BARA has received a regular commission in the U.S. Air Force at Sheppard AFB, Tex., and is serving as an instructor pilot at Sheppard with the Air Training Command.

JOHN J. PIKARSKI, Jr. is a claim adjuster for Kemper Insurance in Chicago and is attending Chicago-Kent College of Law on a Chicagoland Merit Scholarship.

ROBERT KAUFFMAN received his master's degree from the University of Illinois and is now employed by Northwest Cooperative Mental Health Clinic in Arlington Heights, Ill. GERALD T. MEYER has moved from Chicago to assume the east coast territory for Amusement Business Magazine in New York City, one of the family billboard publications. His address is 119 Main St. Apt. 2-B, Ridgefield Park, New Jersey. PHILLIP W. McCAULEY, II, was admitted as a partner in the C.P.A. firm of McGrain & McGrain in New Albany, Ind., in September. LARRY LENNON and family reside at 602 S. Locust in Oxford, Ohio, where Larry is teaching Psychology at Western College. 2nd Lt. MICHAEL J. WOYAHN was honored recently with a presentation of a certificate of achievement, for his outstanding work while assigned as assistant S-4 (supply and logistics) officer at Headquarters, Pittsburg Air Defense. Mike will leave the Pittsburg Defense shortly for reassignment to Viet Nam.

RICHARD W. PIH received a Master of Art's degree from Miami University (Oxford, Ohio). Spec. 5 WILLIAM L. STRASBURGER was awarded the Bronze Star in a ceremony in the Commandant's office at Ft. Holabord, Md. Bill was commended for meritorious achievement while serving in Viet Nam. JOSEPH STAWICKI received his M.B.A. from Northern Illinois Univ. and is now on the business faculty at Northwestern Community College (Conn.) He and his wife, Barbara, reside at 95 Hurlbut Street, Apt. B in Winsted, Connecticut.

KENNETH "Petc" KOPPERS is now a Lieutenant stationed at Phan Rang in Viet Nam. His address is Lt. K.P. Koppers 05258162, 589th Eng. Bn. A.P.O. San Francisco, California 96321. DENNIS J. DUNN received a National Science Ecuadation great to work on his Masteria in California 96321. DENNIS J. DUNN received a National Science Foundation grant to work on his Master's in math at Northwestern Univ. Denny is also chairman of the math department at Carmel High School in Mundelein, Ill. JAMES M. STILL has been named assistant basketball coach at Delta Community College, Bay City, Mich. Jim received a Master's Degree from Bowling Green State University in August and will also teach health and physical education. and physical education.

DAVID D'AVIGNON graduated recently from a Volun-DAVID D'AVIGNON graduated recently from a Volunteer in Service to America (VISTA) training program at the St. Louise Orphanage, St. Croix, Virgin Islands. Dave will spend a year working with the Governor's Commission for Human Services in the Virgin Islands. MIKE DELANEY and his wife, Judy, are members of the Peace Corps and are located in the West Indies. JIM BERLIER, MIKE YOUNG, JOHN CARMODY and LARRY WINTERMUTII have joined the staff of The Regional Administrator of National Banks of the 7th National Bank Region located at 164 W. Jackson Blvd. Room 715, Chicago, Illinois. PATRICIA ANN BOWSHER is teaching first grade in the Rensselaer Central School Room '715, Chicago, Hilmois, FAIRICIA ANN BOWSHER is teaching first grade in the Rensselaer Central School Corp. this year. TOM FLOWERS is working as an agent for the Internal Revenue Service at their office in Indianapolis, JAMES PETRIE is employed as a henefit examiner for the Social Security Administration in Chicago.

Marriages

FRED DUNDERMAN '61 and MARGARET TOWSEND October 10, Cheverly, Md.

STEPHEN R. MURPHY '63 and KATHY GEORGE August 24, Missoula, Mon.

PETER SHEN '63 and DOROTHY CHEN October 19, Auburn, N.Y.

ROBERT M. SWEENY '63 and CAROLYN J. WISMAN August 17, Quincy, Ill.

STEPHEN A. GICK '65 and MARY ELLEN BROVIAK June 15, LaPortc, Ind.

PATRICK J. MacDONALD '66 and MARY FISHER August 3, Adrian, Mich.

JAMES METZINGER '66 and PATRICIA CONLEY August 31, River Forest, Ill.

ROBERT PELLEGRINI '67 and KATHY STUCHL August 31, LaGrange Park, Ill.

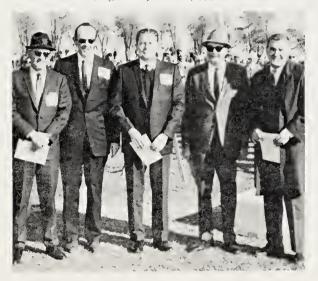
DENNIS O'HARA '67 and MARY KATHERINE HALL January 13, 1968, Chicago, III.

MICHAEL F. CONWAY '68 and CONNIE ELLIS June 22, Rensselaer, Ind.

BOB MENARD '68 and PAMELA JEAN BOGGS August 17, Kankakee, III. JOSEPH PENDICK '68 and THERESA MORIARITY

September 14, Collegeville, Ind.

THOMAS J. POTRAZA '68 and MARY LEONARD August 17, Malden, Mass.



During the half time ceremonies of the Homecoming game, five retiring members of the Alumni Board received citations for their work. Appearing are John McCann '51, George Byerwalter '50, Don Tonner '46, Bob Carney '53, and Joe McGrath '51. A sixth retiring member, Bill Elbert '53, also received a citation.



The Columbian Players presented "The Male Animal" on each of the three evenings of Homecoming weekend. The play, under the direction of Ralph Cappuccilli '47, portrayed a situation comedy involving faculty, alumni and students-some of the personalities amazingly similar to those actually found at Saint Joseph's.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. BOYD REUTEBUCH '53, a son, Jon Nelson

Mr. and Mrs. FRED HENDLER '54 a daughter, Krisen Ann

JUDY ('61) and JOHN ('58) O'NEIL a son, Joel

Mr. and Mrs. JOSEPH GURGONE '59 a son, Mario Anthony

Mrs. and Mrs. MARK J. DOORLEY '60

a son, Matthew Mr. and Mrs. MATTHEW GEMBALA '63

a son, Joseph Matthew

Mr. and Mrs. TED REICHERT '65 a daughter, Heather Ailcen

SHARON ('67) and LARRY LENNON '65 a daughter, Theresa Lec

> Mr. and Mrs. JACK HALPIN '65 a son, Kevin Thomas

> Mr. and Mrs. DENNIS POTTS '68 a son, Dennis II

Saint Joseph's Eightieth Year--Alive Faculty A Strong Point

Saint Joseph's College was chartered. Yet, as a degreegranting institution, Saint Joseph's is young. The first Bachelor degrees were not awarded until June of 1938to 12 members of the graduating class. Then came the years of World War II, enrollment fell severely, and the College was faced with a crisis. Today the College still faces problems, some seemingly without solutions, and, as in the early 1940's, a few individuals are calling Saint Joseph's future into doubt.

As Saint Joseph's nears the end of its 80th year (its 31st year as a four-year college), the College's president, Father Charles Banet, in comments made during a recent interview, realistically appraises the College's present and

"Saint Joseph's has many things going for itself," says Father Banet. "Among them is a faculty which is alive and truly interested in the College's development. I would say the faculty profile this year is the best we've ever had at Saint Joseph's."

The College now has 91 full-time faculty members, about one for every 15 students. Besides their teaching assignments, the College's professors serve on committees dealing with eurriculum reform, athleties, admission of new students and several other important areas.

"A solid faculty is eentral to a eollege hoping to provide a quality education for our young men and women," Father Banet states. "At this time we have a greater percentage of doctors on our faculty than ever before, and many others are working on their doctorates. But just as important as scholarship is their ability to teach. We have tried to maintain a faculty of excellent teachers and seholars, and we've also tried to pay them salaries commensurate with their abilities. Our faculty salary seale is high, as high at that found in the best Catholie eolleges and univers-

But in spite of its faculty, Saint Joseph's faces serious problems, many of which are shared by other private eolleges. The main problem is finaneial-how to keep revenues increasing at the same pace as costs. Tuition, room and board fees do not cover the cost of a student's education at Saint Joseph's, and any substantial raise in tuition would probably eause enrollments to diminish.

Additional funds are required not only for eontinued operation, but also for improvements to the eampus. Two projects which cannot be started until money is available are a new library and renovation of the ehapel. And several hundred thousand dollars are needed to expand the power and heating plant. A week before Thanksgiving, elasses had to be suspended because of boiler failure. Funds are also needed to make improvements in dormitories, laboratories and in the College's recreational facilities.

The College is also making a commitment to the economically underprivileged student. A gradually increasing number of such students are expected to be enrolled at Saint Joseph's. Given a limited eapaeity for enrollment, one of the problems is finance: providing an underprivileged student with a scholarship means that another student who is able to pay may not be able to

Father Banet is uncertain where the needed funds will come from. "We now receive some help from the Federal Covernment in the form of loans and grants, and Indiana business firms have made contributions through the A.C.I. (Associated Colleges of Indiana) of which Saint Joseph's is a member. Donations from alumni and parents have also been helpful. Hopefully, now that we have inaugurated a deferred giving program and a program for foundation support, Saint Joseph's may obtain the funds we need in order to provide our students with the best possible educational facilities."

Father Banet believes that "the future of Saint Joseph's lies in our ability to innovate, to find new ways of eoping with skyroeketing eosts, and to meet the academic challenge of state-supported sehools. I believe we are beginning to do these things now."

Alumni Board Seeks \$47,000 Fund Goal

At their summer meeting on eampus, members of the Alumni Board of Directors adopted a resolution to increase the goal of the 1968-69 Alumni Fund by 50%-from last year's \$31,000 to a new goal of \$47,000. The Board also approved a deadline of April 1, 1969, marking the first time that the eampaign will be compressed into a six-month

If the alumni reach the goal of TARGET 47-M, the name given to the eampaign, it will represent an increase of more than 350% of the \$12,000 raised in the Alumni Fund eampaign of 1961, only eight years ago. At that time the College had a total alumni body of 5,000 graduates and former students. The eurrent figure is less than 8,000 -only slightly more than a 50% increase in num-

Yet Fund ehairman Bernard Balas '57 is confident the new goal of \$47,000 can be reached. He explains that the alumni have demonstrated an increased loyalty to Saint Joseph's over the past five years. Furthermore, the College's young graduates-more than half have taken their degrees since 1960-are beginning to reach levels of income where it is possible for them to make a gift.

To help reach the goal, the 24 members of the Board are seheduling local fund-raising phone-athons in each of their geographical areas. Alumni have already conducted phone-a-thons in Fort Wayne, Hammond and Chieago.

With the deadline less than four months away, the Fund totals are approaching \$20,000 with over 400 alumni having made a donation.

Alumní Chapter News

Fort Wayne

Members of the Fort Wayne Alumni Chapter met at the Old Crown Brewery on October 17 to elect new officers and discuss future functions. Elected were Mike Mettler '61, president; Jim Zid '55, Bill Dillon '66, Larry Kelly '55, Hugh McFarland '62, vice presidents; Paul Steigmeyer '54, secretary; and Ken Steltzer '60, treasurer. Jim Zid (office phone: 743-8012) is in charge of membership.

Calling from the offices of Mettler Insurance on November 25, nine members of the chapter conducted a fund-raising phone-a-thon among alumni in northeastern Indiana and lower Michigan. The alumni responded with gifts totaling \$1,305, the average donation amounting to \$21.75. The money will count toward the Alumni Association's goal of \$47,000 for the year.

Northwest Indiana

old Lake County Alumni Chapter came out of hibernation, adopted a new name (The Northwest Indiana Alumni Chapter), expanded its area to include Lake, Porter, La-Porte and southern Cook County (Ill.), and held its organizational meeting at Condes' Restaurant in Whiting. Nearly 50 alumni attended the combination business meeting-buffet-smoker. A steering committee headed by Joe Chrustowski '59 was appointed to head the chapter until officers are elected at the next meeting.

Ten chapter members aided in the Northwest Indiana phone-a-thon which canvassed alumni in Gary, Hammond, South Bend and Lafayette. The calls were made from the Jefferson National Life Insurance Agency in Munster. A total of 89 grads responded with an average gift of \$20.17 to Target 47-M.

Chicago

The Chicago Chapter hosted a stag for area alumni at the Millionaires Club on September 27. Head football coach Bill Jennings and assistant coach Ernie Fritsch were there with films of the 1956 National Championship team and teams of later years.

Following the DePaul-Saint Joseph's basketball game in Chicago, the chapter sponsored an alumni-parent reception in DePaul's Alumni Hall. Approximately 300 attended, dancing to the music of Saint Joseph's dance

The 1968 coast-to-coast phone-athon originated from the 26th floor of the Sheraton-Chicago Hotel, During the week of December 3, nearly 500 alumni responded with gifts totaling over \$8,000.

Homecoming Photos





Alumni of the reunion classes of '53, '58 and '63 were the guests of honor at the game.



The Honorable Charles Halleck presents the "Halleck Cup" to the New Dorm for the best use of color in a parade float. There were 19 floats in the parade, all of them sponsored by a student dormitory or a campus club with financial assistance from Rensselaer merchants.

OUR APPRECIATION TO

the Senior Class, the Courier Club, the Blue Key Chapter, the Glee Club, the Band, the Columbian Players, the Seminarians, and all other students who helped make this year's Homecoming one of Saint Joseph's best.

ATTENTION ACCOUNTING AND FINANCE GRADUATES

Please fill out and return your questionnaires immediately.

> Richard J. Flynn Acct .- Finance Dept.

Alumnus Promoted

James E. Houk '52 has been named the Assistant Vice President of Advertising for Other Products at



the Associates Corporate Services Company, South Bend, Indiana. He assumes responsibility for the administration ınd implementation vertising programs for all financial and insurance services other than personal loan. He has been with the firm, a subsidiary of Associates Investment Company, since 1962. Previously he held the position of Advertising Director.

James E. Houk Houk holds a Bachelor of Science degree in marketing from Saint Joseph's, He makes his home in South Bend.

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Items of interest about Saint Joseph's College, the alumni, the faculty, and the students.

130 Women Register For Fall Semester Seven foreign countries and 33 states are represented by the first semester's total enrollment of 1,427 students. Included are 130 coeds who have been admitted with residential status for the first time in the College's 80-year history.

Alumnus Named President Of Mt. St. Agnes College

Dr. John H. Ford '47 has been appointed president of Mount Saint Agnes College in Baltimore. Previously he was chairman of the philosophy department at Bellarmine College where the students and faculty chose him as the school's "outstanding professor."

Junior Wins Rudy Volz Award Five alumni judges selected junior fullback Karl Maio as the seventh recipient of the Rudy Volz Memorial Award as the most valuable player in this year's Homecoming game. The award bears the name of the Saint Joseph's Alumni Director who lost his life in a 1961 automobile accident.

Dr. Wood On Sabbatical At Catholic University

Dr. Robert Wood, associate professor of philosophy at Saint Joseph's, is on sabbatical leave at Catholic University of America as a visiting professor. Dr. Wood will spend the year working on his second book and co-editing a series of books titled Horizons in Philosophy.

Trustees Increase Scholarship Aid

At their November meeting on campus, the College's Board of Trustees voted to reject a proposal that a portion of the College's 43 athletic grants be converted to academic scholarships. Instead, the Board raised the number of academic scholarships outright-from 30 to 43. The increase will be spread over a four-year period.

Football Team Closes Season

Saint Joseph's football team completed the season with a record of one win and eight losses. It was the first time in 14 years the Pumas had won their opening game (35-21 over North Park College of Chicago), but the rest of the season held frustrations, injuries and disappointments. Head coach Bill Jennings, who has held his position for two years, stated at the annual athletic banquet that the future appears brighter, and he pointed to his returning lettermen and this year's freshman team as evidence. The frosh made impressive showings in all three season games, winning two of them. Further, as a team they have a fine academic rating -the number of players lost because of grades will be minimum.

Saint Joseph's To Remain In ICC

At the November 15 meeting of Indiana Collegiate Conference schools, President Charles Banet declared Saint Joseph's intention to remain a member of the athletic conference. When Ball State and Indiana State withdrew last year, the conference's future became uncertain. Besides Saint Joseph's, teams remaining are Butler, DePauw, Evansville and Valparaiso. There is the possibility additional colleges will be admitted to the I.C.C.

Ernst & Ernst Alums Contribute \$200

Alumni with the accounting firm of Ernst and Ernst conducted an intra-office campaign to raise funds for the Alumni Fund, Target 47-M. The eight alumni each contributed \$25.00. Tom Eiter 67 presented the check at the Accounting Career Day Banquet, October 28.

The 1968-69 Basketball Schedule

Nov. 30-FRANKLIN	7:30
Dec. 7-at DePaul	
Dec. 11-SAINT BENEDICT	7:30
Dec. 14-NORTHWOOD	7:30
Dec. 17-at Anderson	
Dec. 20-SAINT FRANCIS	7:30
Jan. 4-at Wisconsin (Milw.)8	
Jan. 8-at Valparaiso •	
Jan. 11–EVANSVILLE *9	00:6
Jan. 14-at Pepperdine (Calif.)8	
Jan. 17-at Los Angeles State	
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Jan. 25-at North Central (Ill.) 7:30
Jan. 29-BUTLER *7:30
Feb. 1—at Ball State7;30
Feb. 5-OLIVET (MICH.)8:00
Feb. 8-VALPARAISO •7:30
Feb. 12-at Evansville •8:00
Feb. 15-DE PAUW •7:30
Feb. 18-at Wabash7:30
Feb. 22—at Butler •8:15
Feb. 25—BALL STATE7:30
Feb. 28-NORTH CEN. (ILL.)7:30
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